Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 06 Apr 2022 until 23:59 on Thursday 07 Apr 2022

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 06 Apr 2022 at 02:15

Confidence: High for trend to colder with a few wintry showers, a fine start to the weekend and then going downhill on Sunday. Lower for shower detail.

Headline for Wednesday 06 Apr 2022: Bright spells and showers, some heavy, snow on the tops. Gales.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 06 Apr 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** Low Likelihood
Gales High Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** High Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sleet showers	Sleet showers	Sleet showers	Sleet showers	Light snow showers	Light snow showers (night)
Precipitation probability					
40%	40%	40%	60%	50%	50%

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Weather: Occasional showers and a few bright or sunny intervals. The showers will fall as snow above 800m but to lower levels in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 60%

Low cloud and visibility: Broken cloud mainly 800-900m falling 600m in showers, a few lower patches. Occasionally poor visibility below cloud in showers but often good.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	31/43 SW	29/41 W	31/45 SW	40/57 SW	45/64 W	43/62 W	41/58 W
300	16/29 SW	17/29 W	18/33 SW	24/42 SW	27/48 W	24/44 W	23/43 W
Valley	13/27 SW	14/28 W	16/32 SW	20/40 SW	22/45 W	19/42 W	18/40 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	2/-5	2/-5	4/-2	3/-4	3/-6	1/-8	-0/-9
300	4/-0	5/1	7/3	6/1	5/-0	3/-3	2/-4
Valley	6/2	7/3	9/5	7/3	6/2	4/-1	3/-2
Freezing Level*	900m	900m	1000m	900m	800m	600m	400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Gusts 60-70mph possible in the evening on the tops.

Forecast for Thursday 07 Apr 2022

Weather: Sunny intervals and occasional showers, of snow above 450m and occasionally wintry to lower levels. Clearer and drier in the evening.

Maximum wind: In early hours westerly 45 gusts 65mph, easing 35 gusts 50mph in the morning, veering northwesterly later 25 gusts 35mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 30%, increasing 60% in during the morning and 80% in evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Broken to overcast cloud 500-700m at first but generally broken to well broken 750-900m, lowering in showers, with occasionally poor visibility below the cloud in any heavier showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 6 Celsius, falling Plus 1 by midnight.
At 700m: Minus 2 Celsius
Freezing level: 500m, falling 300m by midnight.

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